

<b>United States Bankruptcy Court</b> <b>Northern District of Illinois</b>		<b>Voluntary Petition</b>
Name of Debtor (If individual, enter Last, First, Middle): <b>Jennings, Melvin</b>	Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):	
All Other Names used by the debtor in the last 6 years (include married, maiden and trade names): <b>none</b>	All Other Names used by the joint debtor in the last 6 years (include married, maiden and trade names): <i>Chapter 13 NO Plan</i>	
Soc. Sec./Tax I.D. No. (If more than one, state all): <b>410 96 6414</b>	Soc. Sec./Tax I.D. No. (If more than one, state all):	
Street Address of Debtor (No. and street, city, state, zip): <b>424 W. Diversey Parkway # 634 Chicago, Illinois 60614</b>	Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and street, city, state, zip):	
County of Residence or Principal Place of Business: <b>cook</b>	County of Residence or Principal Place of Business:	
Mailing Address of Debtor (If different from street address):	Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (If different from street address):	

**Information Regarding Debtor (Check the Applicable Boxes)****Venue (Check any applicable box)**

Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of business or principal assets in this District for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other District.

There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner or partnership pending in this district

Type of Debtor (Check all boxes that apply)	Chapter or Section of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed (Check one box)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual <input type="checkbox"/> Railroad <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Stockbroker <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Commodity Broker <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 11 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chapter 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 12 <input type="checkbox"/> § 304-Case ancillary to foreign proceeding.
Nature of Debt (Check one box)	Filing Fee (Check one box)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consumer/Non-Business <input type="checkbox"/> Business	<input type="checkbox"/> Full Filing Fee attached. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Filing Fee to be paid in installments (Applicable to individuals only)
Chapter 11 Small Business (Check all boxes that apply)	Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form No. 3
<input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a small business as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101. <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is and elects to be considered a small business under 11 U.S.C. § 1121(e) (Optional)	

**Statistical/Administrative Information (Estimates Only)**

Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.  
 Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors.

Estimated Number of Creditors	1-15	16-49	50-99	100-199	200-999	1000
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					

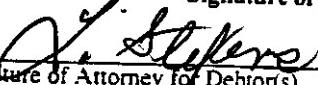
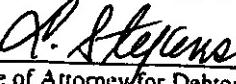
Estimated Assets	\$0 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$100,000	\$100,001 to \$500,000	\$500,001 to \$1 million	\$1,000,001 to \$10 million	\$10,000,001 to \$100 million
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				

Estimated Debts	\$0 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$100,000	\$100,001 to \$500,000	\$500,001 to \$1 million	\$1,000,001 to \$10 million	\$10,000,001 to \$100 million
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				

**U.S. Bankruptcy Court**  
**Northern District Of Illinois**  
**Filed: 09/28/2004**  
**Time: 9:59:23**  
**Debtor: MELVIN JENNINGS**  
**Case: 04-35853 Fee : 40**  
**Chapter: 13 Rec. #: 3103289**  
**Judge: A Benjamin Goldgar**  
**341 mtg: 10/25/2004 @ 02:00PM**  
**ConfHrg: 11/09/2004 @ 11:00AM**  
**Trustee: TOM VAUGHN**



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<b>Voluntary Petition</b> <i>(This page must be completed and filed in every case)</i>		Name of Debtor(s): <b>Melvin Jennings</b>
Prior Bankruptcy Case Filed Within Last 6 Years (If more than one, attach additional sheet)		
Location Where Filed: <b>Chicago</b>	Case Number: <b>03B15687</b>	Date Filed:
Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or Affiliate of this Debtor (If more than one, attach additional sheet.)		
Name of Debtor:	Case Number:	Date Filed:
District:	Relationship:	Judge:
<b>Signatures</b>		
<b>Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)</b> I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct. [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has chosen to file under chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7. I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.		<b>Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Corporation/Partnership)</b> I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor. If debtor is a corporation filing under chapter 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.
Signature of Debtor 		Signature of Authorized Individual
Signature of Joint Debtor		Print or Type Name of Authorized Individual
Telephone (If not represented by attorney) 9-27-04		Title of Authorized Individual by Debtor to File this Petition
Date		Date
Signature of Attorney 		Signature of Non-Attorney Petition Preparer
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Laurence Stefans I.D. # 2713403 Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)		I certify that I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110, that I prepared this document for compensation, and that I have provided the debtor with a copy of this document.
Firm Name 134 N. La Salle Street Suite 512 Address		Printed Name of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer
Chicago, Illinois 60602 312-726-0174 Telephone Number		Social Security Number
Date 9-27-04		Address
<b>EXHIBIT A</b> (To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit A is attached and made part of this petition.		
<b>EXHIBIT B</b> (To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts.)		
I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I have informed the petitioner that [he or she] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each such chapter.		
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) 		Date 9-27-04
If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional signed sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.		
Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer		
Date		
A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both. 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.		

## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

NORTHERN

DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

In re Melvin Jennings

Debtor(s)

Case No.

(If Known)

**STATEMENT**  
Pursuant to Rule 2016(b)

The undersigned, pursuant to Rule 2016(b) Bankruptcy Rules, states that:

- (1) The undersigned is the attorney for the debtor(s) in this case.
- (2) The compensation paid or agreed to be paid by the debtor(s) to the undersigned is:
 

(a) for legal services rendered or to be rendered in contemplation of and in connection with this case	\$ .. 2,200.00
(b) prior to filing this statement, debtor(s) have paid	\$ ..
(c) the unpaid balance due and payable is	<u>\$ .. 2,200.00</u>
- (3) \$ 40.00 of the filing fee in this case has been paid.
- (4) The services rendered or to be rendered include the following:
  - (a) analysis of the financial situation, and rendering advice and assistance to the debtor(s) in determining whether to file a petition under title 11 of the United States Code.
  - (b) preparation and filing of the petition, schedules, statement of affairs and other documents required by the court.
  - (c) representation of the debtor(s) at the meeting of creditors.
- (5) The source of payments made by the debtor(s) to the undersigned was from earnings, wages and compensation for services performed, and
- (6) The source of payments to be made by the debtor(s) to the undersigned for the unpaid balance remaining, if any, will be from earnings, wages and compensation for services performed, and
- (7) The undersigned has received no transfer, assignment or pledge of property except the following for the value stated:
- (8) The undersigned has not shared or agreed to share with any other entity, other than with members of undersigned's law firm, any compensation paid or to be paid except as follows:

Dated:

9-27-04

Respectfully submitted, *D. Stefans* Attorney for Petitioner

Attorney's name and address..... Stefans, Stefans &amp; Stefans, 134 N. LaSalle, Chicago, Illinois

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## SCHEDULE A - REAL PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	NATURE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY	H W J C	CURRENT MARKET VALUE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY WITHOUT DEDUCTING ANY SECURED CLAIM OR EXEMPTION	AMOUNT OF SECURED CLAIM
none				

Total -&gt;

\$

(Report also on Summary of Schedules.)

## SCHEDULE B - PERSONAL PROPERTY

TYPE OF PROPERTY	N O N E	DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	H W J C	CURRENT MARKET VALUE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY WITHOUT DEDUCTING ANY SECURED CLAIM OR EXEMPTION
1. Cash on hand	N	checking		100.00
2. Checking, savings or other financial accounts, certificates of deposit, or shares in banks, savings and loan, thrift, building and loan, and home-stead associations, or credit unions, brokerage houses, or cooperatives.	N			
3. Security deposits with public utilities, telephone companies, landlords, and others.	N	3 rooms of household goods		1,000.00
4. Household goods and furnishings including audio, video and computer equipment.	N			
5. Books; pictures and other art objects; antiques; stamp, coin, record, tape, compact disc, and other collections or collectibles.	N			
6. Wearing apparel.	N	clothes		100.00
7. Furs and jewelry.	N			
8. Firearms and sports, photographic, and other hobby equipment.	N			
9. Interests in insurance policies. Name insurance company of each policy and itemize surrender or refund value of each.	N			

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TYPE OF PROPERTY	N O N E	DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	H	CURRENT MARKET VALUE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY WITHOUT DEDUCTING ANY SECURED CLAIM OR EXEMPTION
			W	
10. Annuities. Itemize and name each issuer.	N			
11. Interests in IRA, ERISA, Keogh, or other pension or profit sharing plans. Itemize.	N			
12. Stock and interests in incorporated and unincorporated businesses. Itemize.	N			
13. Interest in partnerships or joint ventures. Itemize.	N			
14. Government and corporate bonds and other negotiable and nonnegotiable instruments.	N			
15. Accounts receivable.	N			
16. Alimony, maintenance, support, and property settlements to which the debtor is or may be entitled. Give particulars.	N			
17. Other liquidated debts owing debtor including tax refunds. Give particulars.	N			
18. Equitable or future interests, life estates, and rights or powers exercisable for the benefit of the debtor other than those listed in Schedule of Real Property.	N			
19. Contingent and noncontingent interests in estate of a decedent, death benefit plan, life insurance policy, or trust.	N			
20. Other contingent and unliquidated claims of every nature, including tax refunds, counterclaims of the debtor, and rights to setoff claims. Give estimated value of each.	N			
21. Patents, copyrights, and other intellectual property. Give particulars.	N			
22. Licenses, franchises, and other general intangibles. Give particulars.	N			
23. Automobiles, trucks, trailers, and other vehicles and accessories.		1985 Buick Century		500.00
24. Boats, motors, and accessories.	N			
25. Aircraft and accessories.	N			
26. Office equipment, furnishings, and supplies.	N			
27. Machinery, fixtures, equipment, and supplies used in business.	N			
28. Inventory.	N			
29. Animals.	N			
30. Crops - growing or harvested. Give particulars.	N			
31. Farming equipment and implements.	N			
32. Farm supplies, chemicals, and feed.	N			
33. Other personal property of any kind not already listed. Itemize.	N			
(Include amounts from any continuation sheets attached. Report total also on Summary of Schedules)			Total ->	\$ 1,700.00
continuation sheets attached				

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## SCHEDULE C - PROPERTY CLAIMED AS EXEMPT

Debtor elects the exemptions to which debtor is entitled under (Check one box)

- 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(1): Exemptions provided in 11 U.S.C. § 522(d). Note: These exemptions are available only in certain states.  
 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(2): Exemptions available under applicable nonbankruptcy federal laws, state or local law.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	SPECIFY LAW PROVIDING EACH EXEMPTION	VALUE OF CLAIMED EXEMPTION	CURRENT MARKET VALUE OF PROPERTY WITHOUT DEDUCTING EXEMPTION
HOMESTEAD	CH. 735, para 5/12-901 II Rev. Stat.	Debtor- Spouse-	
AUTO      1985 Buick Century	Ch.735,para 5/12-1001(c) II Rev. Stat.	Debtor- 1,200.00 Spouse-	500.00
PERSONAL PROPERTY including furniture and any income tax refund.	Ch. 735,para. 5/12-1001(b) II Rev. Stat.	Debtor-2,000.00 Spouse-	1,000.00
TOOLS OF TRADE AND PROFESSIONAL BOOKS	Ch. 735, para. 5/12-1001(d) II Rev Stat.		
PERSONAL INJURY CLAIMS	Ch.735, para.5/12-1001(h)(4) II Rev. Stat.		
WORKERS COMPENSATION	Ch.820,para. 305/21 II Rev. Stat.		
PENSION,ERISA PLAN AND OR 401K	Ch. 735. para. 5/12-100C II. Rev. Stat.		



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**SCHEDULE D - CREDITORS HOLDING SECURED CLAIMS**

Check this box if debtor has no creditors holding secured claims to report on this Schedule D.

continuation sheets attached

**Subtotal ->** **\$**

Total -> \$

\*If contingent, enter C; if unliquidated, enter U; If disputed, enter D.

(use only on last page)

(Report total also on Summary of Schedules)

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## SCHEDULE E - CREDITORS HOLDING UNSECURED PRIORITY CLAIMS

Check this box if debtor has no creditors holding unsecured priority claims to report on this Schedule E.

TYPE OF PRIORITY CLAIMS (Check the appropriate box(es) below if claims in that category are listed on the attached sheets)

- Extensions of credit in an involuntary case  
Claims arising in the ordinary course of the debtor's business or financial affairs after the commencement of the case but before the earlier of the appointment of a trustee or the order for relief. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(2).
- Wages, salaries, and commissions  
Wages, salaries, and commissions, including vacation, severance, and sick leave pay owing to employees, up to a maximum of \$2000 per employee, earned within 90 days immediately preceding the filing of the original petition, or the cessation of business, whichever occurred first, to the extent provided in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(3).
- Contributions to employee benefit plans  
Money owed to employee benefit plans for services rendered within 180 days immediately preceding the filing of the original petition, or the cessation of business, whichever occurred first, to the extent provided in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(4).
- Certain farmers and fishermen  
Claims of certain farmers and fishermen, up to a maximum of \$2000 per farmer or fisherman, against the debtor, as provided in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(5).
- Deposits by individuals  
Claims of individuals up to a maximum of \$900 for deposits for the purchase, lease, or rental of property or services for personal, family, or household use, that were not delivered or provided. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(6).
- Taxes and Certain Other Debts Owed to Governmental Units  
Taxes, customs duties, and penalties owing to federal, state, and local governmental units as set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(7).

CREDITOR'S NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS INCLUDING ZIP CODE	CO D E B T	H W J C	DATE CLAIM WAS INCURRED AND CONSIDERATION FOR CLAIM	C U D	TOTAL AMOUNT OF CLAIM	AMOUNT ENTITLED TO PRIORITY
ACCOUNT NO.						
ACCOUNT NO.						
ACCOUNT NO.						
ACCOUNT NO.						
ACCOUNT NO.						
Subtotal -> (Total of this page)				\$		
Total ->				\$		

Continuation sheets attached.

(use only on last page of the completed Schedule E.) (Report total also on Summary of Schedules)

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**SCHEDULE F - CREDITORS HOLDING UNSECURED NONPRIORITY CLAIMS**

Check this box if debtor has no creditors holding unsecured nonpriority claims to report on this Schedule F

CREDITOR'S NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS INCLUDING ZIP CODE	CODER H W J.C.	DATE CLAIM WAS INCURRED AND CONSIDERATION FOR CLAIM. IF CLAIM IS SUBJECT TO SETOFF, SO STATE.	C D C D	AMOUNT OF CLAIM
A/C #  City Of Chicago Bureau Of Parking 333 S. State Street # 540 Chicago, Illinois 60604		Tickets Plate # T639099		2,100.00
A/C #  Richard Erlich C/O Letitia Spunar-Sheats 105 West Madison Street #1300 Chicago, Illinois 60602		Unpaid rent Judgement entered--02M1-702387		2,500.00
A/C #  Wacker Apartments C/O Daniel Starr 35 E. Wacker Drive # 1870 Chicago, Ill. 60601		unpaid rent		3,235.00
A/C #  Wacker Apartments 111 W. Huron Chicago, Illinois		notice-duplication		
A/C #  Educational Credit Management 4001 Office Court Drive Building 700 Santa Fe, NM 87505		loan		7,500.00
A/C #				

**Continuation Sheets attached.**

**Subtotal ->** \$ 15,335.00  
**(Total of this page)**

• If husband enter H; if wife enter W; if joint enter J; if community, enter C.

**\*\* If contingent, enter C; if unliquidated, enter U; if disputed, enter D.**

(use only on last page of completed Schedule F.)

In re: **Melvin Jennings** Debtor(s) Case No. (if known)**SCHEDULE G - EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES** Check this box if debtor has no executory contracts or unexpired leases.

NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS, INCLUDING ZIP CODE, OF OTHER PARTIES TO LEASE OR CONTRACT.	DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT OR LEASE AND NATURE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST. STATE WHETHER LEASE IS FOR NONRESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY. STATE CONTRACT NUMBER OF ANY GOVERNMENT CONTRACT.

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**SCHEDULE H - CODEBTORS** Check this box if debtor has no codebtors.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CODEBTOR	NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR

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Case No.

(if known)

**SCHEDULE I - CURRENT INCOME OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S)**

The column labeled "Spouse" must be completed in all cases filed by joint debtors and by a married debtor in a chapter 12 or 13 case whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.

Debtor's Marital Status:	DEPENDENTS OF DEBTOR AND SPOUSE		
	NAMES	AGE	RELATIONSHIP
Single	none		
<b>Employment:</b>		<b>DEBTOR</b>	
Occupation		<b>SPOUSE</b>	
Name of Employer		Security Management	
How long employed		7 months	
Address of Employer		5648 S. Archer Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60638	

Income: (Estimate of average monthly income)	biweekly	DEBTOR	SPOUSE
Current monthly gross wages, salary, and commissions (pro rate if not paid monthly) .....	\$ 864.00	\$	
Estimate monthly overtime .....	\$ 864.00	\$	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			
LESS PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS			
a. Payroll taxes and social security .....	97.00		
b. Insurance .....			
c. Union dues .....	21.00		
d. Other (Specify) .....			
<b>SUBTOTAL OF PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS</b>	\$ 118.00	\$	
<b>TOTAL NET MONTHLY TAKE HOME PAY</b>	\$ 746.00	\$	

Regular Income from operation of business or profession or farm

(attach detailed statement)

Income from real property .....

Interest and dividends .....

Alimony, maintenance or support payments payable to the debtor for the debtor's

use or that of dependents listed above.

Social security or other government assistance (Specify) .....

Pension or retirement Income .....

Other monthly income (Specify) .....

**TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME** .....

\$ 1,616.00

(Report also on Summary of Schedules)

Describe any increase or decrease of more than 10% in any of the above categories anticipated to occur within the year following the filing of this document:



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**SCHEDULE J - CURRENT EXPENDITURES OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S)**

Complete this schedule by estimating the average monthly expenses of the debtor and the debtor's family. Pro rate any payments made bi-weekly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually to show monthly rate.

Check this box if a joint petition is filed and debtor's spouse maintains a separate household. Complete a separate schedule of expenditures labeled "Spouse".

Rent or home mortgage payment (include lot rented for mobile home) \$ 156.00

Are real estate taxes included?  Yes  No Is property insurance included?  Yes  No

Utilities Electricity and heating fuel 100.00

Water and sewer

Telephone

Other

**Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)**

Food 400.00

Clothing 50.00

Laundry and dry cleaning 50.00

Medical and dental expenses 50.00

Transportation (not including car payments) 200.00

Recreation, clubs and entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc. 100.00

Charitable contributions

**Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments)**

Homeowner's or renter's

Life

Health

Auto

Other

100.00

**Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments)**

(Specify)

**Installment payments: (in chapter 12 and 13 cases, do not list payments to be included in the plan)**

Auto

Other

**Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others****Payments for support of additional dependents not living at your home****Regular expenses from operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)**

Other

1985 Buick Auto maintenance 20.00

**TOTAL MONTHLY EXPENSES (Report also on Summary of Schedules)** \$ 1,346.00

**(FOR CHAPTER 12 AND 13 DEBTORS ONLY)**

Provide the information requested below, including whether plan payments are to be made bi-weekly, monthly, annually, or at some other regular interval.

A. Total projected monthly income \$ 1,616.00

B. Total projected monthly expenses \$ 1,346.00

C. Excess income (A minus B) \$ 270.00

D. Total amount to be paid into plan each \$ 270.00

(Interval)

## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

NORTHERN

DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

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(If Known)

See summary below for the list of schedules. Include Unsworn Declaration under Penalty of Perjury at the end.

**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:** Schedules D, E and F have been designed for the listing of each claim only once. Even when a claim is secured only in part, or entitled to priority only in part, it still should be listed only once. A claim which is secured in whole or in part should be listed on Schedule D only, and a claim which is entitled to priority in whole or in part should be listed in Schedule E only. Do not list the same claim twice. If a creditor has more than one claim, such as claims arising from separate transactions, each claim should be scheduled separately.

Review the specific instructions for each schedule before completing the schedule.

## SUMMARY OF SCHEDULES

Indicate as to each schedule whether that schedule is attached and state the number of pages in each. Report the totals from Schedules A, B, D, E, F, I and J in the boxes provided. Add the amounts from Schedules A and B to determine the total amount of the debtor's assets. Add the amounts from Schedules D, E, and F to determine the total amount of the debtor's liabilities.

Name of Schedule	Attached (Yes No)	Number of sheets	Amounts Scheduled		
			Assets	Liabilities	Other
A - Real Property			0		
B - Personal Property			1,700.00		
C - Property Claimed as Exempt					
D - Creditors Holding Secured Claims				0	
E - Creditors Holding Unsecured Priority Claims				0	
F - Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims				15,335.00	
G - Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases					
H - Codebtors					
I - Current Income of Individual Debtor(s)					1,616.00
J - Current Expenditures of Individual Debtor(s)					1,346.00
Total Number of Sheets of All Schedules					
Total Assets		\$1,700.00			
			Total Liabilities		

re: Melvin Jennings

Debtor(s) Case No.

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## DECLARATION CONCERNING DEBTOR'S SCHEDULES

### DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY BY INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing summary and schedules, consisting of \_\_\_\_\_ sheets,  
and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.  
(Total shown on summary page plus 1.)

Date

9-27-04

Signature:

Debtor

Date

Signature:

(Joint Debtor, if any) (If joint case, both spouses must sign.)

### CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE OF NON-ATTORNEY BANKRUPTCY PETITION PREPARER (SEE 11 U.S.C. § 110)

I certify that I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110, that I prepared this document for compensation, and that I have provided the debtor with a copy of this document.

Printed or Typed Name of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

Social Security No.

Address

Names and Social Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document:

If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional signed sheets conforming to the appropriate Official Form for each person.

Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

Date

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### DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF A CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

I, the \_\_\_\_\_ (the president or other officer or an authorized agent of the corporation or a member or an authorized agent of the partnership) of the \_\_\_\_\_ (corporation or partnership) named as debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing summary and schedules, consisting of \_\_\_\_\_ sheets, and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. (Total shown on summary page plus 1.)

Date

Signature:

(Print or type name of individual signing on behalf of debtor.)

(An individual signing on behalf of a partnership or corporation must indicate position or relationship to debtor.)

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

Northern

DISTRICT OF Illinois

In re: Melvin Jennings

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## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

This statement is to be completed by every debtor. Spouses filing a joint petition may file a single statement on which the information for both spouses is combined. If the case is filed under chapter 12 or chapter 13, a married debtor must furnish information for both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed. An individual debtor engaged in business as a sole proprietor, partner, family farmer, or self-employed professional, should provide the information requested on this statement concerning all such activities as well as the individual's personal affairs.

Questions 1-15 are to be completed by all debtors. Debtors that are or have been in business, as defined below, also must complete Questions 16-21. If the answer to any question is "None," or the question is not applicable, mark the box labeled "None." If additional space is needed for the answer to any question, use and attach a separate sheet properly identified with the case name, case number (if known), and the number of the question.

### DEFINITIONS

*"In business."* A debtor is "in business" for the purpose of this form if the debtor is a corporation or partnership. An individual debtor is "in business" for the purpose of this form if the debtor is or has been, within the two years immediately preceding the filing of this bankruptcy case, any of the following: an officer, director, managing executive, or person in control of a corporation; a partner, other than a limited partner, of a partnership; a sole proprietor or self-employed.

*"Insider."* The term "insider" includes but is not limited to: relatives of the debtor; general partners of the debtor and their relatives; corporations of which the debtor is an officer, director, or person in control; officers, directors, and any person in control of a corporate debtor and their relatives; affiliates of the debtor and insiders of such affiliates; any managing agent of the debtor. 11 U.S.C. §101(30).

None 1. Income from Employment or Operation of Business

State the gross amount of income the debtor has received from employment, trade, or profession, or from operation of the debtor's business from the beginning of this calendar year to the date this case was commenced. State also the gross amounts received during the two years immediately preceding this calendar year. (A debtor that maintains, or has maintained, financial records on the basis of a fiscal rather than a calendar year may report fiscal year income. Identify the beginning and ending dates of the debtor's fiscal year.) If a joint petition is filed, state income for each spouse separately. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must state income of both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.) Give AMOUNT and SOURCE (If more than one).

2002	\$18,000.00
2003	\$20,000.00
2004	\$11,500.00

None 2. Income Other than from Employment or Operation of Business

State the amount of income received by the debtor other than from employment, trade, profession, or operation of the debtor's business during the two years immediately preceding the commencement of this case. Give particulars. If a joint petition is filed, state income for each spouse separately. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must state income for each spouse whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.) Give AMOUNT and SOURCE.

3. Payments to Creditors

None a. List all payments on loans, installment purchases of goods or services, and other debts, aggregating more than \$600 to any creditor, made within 90 days immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include payments by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR, DATES OF PAYMENTS, AMOUNT PAID and AMOUNT STILL OWING.

None b. List all payments made within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case to or for the benefit of creditors who are or were insiders. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include payments by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR AND RELATIONSHIP TO DEBTOR, DATE OF PAYMENT, AMOUNT PAID and AMOUNT STILL OWING.

4. Suits and Administrative Proceedings, Executions, Garnishments and Attachments

None a. List all suits and administrative proceedings to which the debtor is or was a party within one year immediately preceding the filing of this bankruptcy case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give CAPTION OF SUIT AND CASE NUMBER, NATURE OF PROCEEDING, COURT OR AGENCY AND LOCATION and STATUS OR DISPOSITION.

None b. Describe all property that has been attached, garnished,

immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON FOR WHOSE BENEFIT PROPERTY WAS SEIZED, DATE OF SEIZURE and DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY.

None 5. Repossessions, Foreclosures, and Returns

List all property that has been repossessed by a creditor, sold at a foreclosure sale, transferred through a deed in lieu of foreclosure or returned to the seller, within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR OR SELLER, DATE OF REPOSSESSION, FORECLOSURE SALE, TRANSFER OR RETURN and DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY.

6. Assignments and Receiverships

None a. Describe any assignment of property for the benefit of creditors made within 120 days immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include any assignment by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF ASSIGNEE, DATE OF ASSIGNMENT and TERMS OF ASSIGNMENT OR SETTLEMENT.

None b. List all property which has been in the hands of a custodian, receiver, or court-appointed official within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF CUSTODIAN, NAME AND LOCATION OF COURT, CASE TITLE & NUMBER, DATE OF ORDER and DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY.

None 7. Gifts

List all gifts or charitable contributions made within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case except ordinary and usual gifts to family members aggregating less than \$200 in value per individual family member and charitable contributions aggregating less than \$100 per recipient. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include gifts or contributions by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION, RELATIONSHIP TO DEBTOR, IF ANY, DATE OF GIFT, and DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF GIFT.

None 8. Losses

List all losses from fire, theft, other casualty or gambling within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case or since the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include losses by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY, DESCRIPTION OF CIRCUMSTANCES AND, IF LOSS WAS COVERED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY INSURANCE, GIVE PARTICULARS and DATE OF LOSS.

None 9. Payments Related to Debt Counseling or Bankruptcy

List all payments made or property transferred by or on behalf of the debtor to any persons, including attorneys, for consultation concerning debt consolidation, relief under the bankruptcy law or preparation of a petition in bankruptcy within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF PAYEE, DATE OF PAYMENT, NAME OF PAYOR IF OTHER THAN DEBTOR and AMOUNT OF MONEY OR DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY.

None 10. Other Transfers

List all other property, other than property transferred in the ordinary course of the business or financial affairs of the debtor, transferred either absolutely or as security within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include transfers by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF TRANSFEREE, RELATIONSHIP TO DEBTOR, DATE and DESCRIBE PROPERTY TRANSFERRED AND VALUE RECEIVED.

None 11. Closed Financial Accounts

List all financial accounts and instruments held in the name of the debtor or for the benefit of the debtor which were closed, sold, or otherwise transferred within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. Include checking, savings, or other financial accounts, certificates of deposit, or other instruments; shares and share accounts held in banks, credit unions, pension funds, cooperatives, associations, brokerage houses and other financial institutions. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning accounts or instruments held by or for either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.) Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF INSTITUTION, TYPE AND NUMBER OF ACCOUNT AND AMOUNT OF FINAL BALANCE and AMOUNT AND DATE OF SALE OR CLOSING.

None 12. Safe Deposit Boxes

List each safe deposit or other box or depository in which the debtor has or had securities, cash, or other valuables within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include boxes or depositories of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF BANK OR OTHER DEPOSITORY, NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THOSE WITH ACCESS TO BOX OR DEPOSITORY, DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS and DATE OF TRANSFER OR SURRENDER, IF ANY.

None 13. Setoffs

List all setoffs made by any creditor, including a bank, against a debt or deposit of the debtor within 90 days preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OR CREDITOR, DATE OF SETOFF and AMOUNT OF SETOFF.

None 14. Property Held for Another Person

List all property owned by another person that the debtor holds or controls.

Give NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER, DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY and LOCATION OF PROPERTY.

None 15. Prior Address of Debtor

If the debtor has moved within the two years immediately preceding the commencement of this case, list all premises which the debtor occupied during that period and vacated prior to the commencement of this case. If a joint petition is filed, report also any separate address of either spouse.

Give ADDRESS, NAME USED and DATES OF OCCUPANCY.

111 W. Huron, Chicago, Illinois

continuation sheets attached

Complete unsworn declaration on page 3076-5  
There is no page 3076-4 in non-business filings

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the answers contained in the foregoing statement of financial affairs and any attachments thereto and that they are true and correct.

Date

9-27-04Signature  
of DebtorMelvin Jennings

Date

Signature  
of Joint Debtor  
(if any)

[If completed on behalf of a partnership or corporation]

I, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the answers contained in the foregoing statement of financial affairs and any attachments thereto and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Date

Signature

Print Name and Title

[An individual signing on behalf of a partnership or corporation must indicate position or relationship to debtor.]

**CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE OF NON-ATTORNEY BANKRUPTCY PETITION PREPARER (See 11 U.S.C. § 110)**

I certify that I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110, that I prepared this document for compensation, and that I have provided the debtor with a copy of this document.

Printed or Typed Name of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

Social Security No.

Address

Names and Social Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document: If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional signed sheets conforming to the appropriate Official Form for each person.

Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

Date

A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title II and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both. 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.

**Penalty for making a false statement:** Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§152 and 3571.

# United States Bankruptcy Court

## NOTICE TO INDIVIDUAL CONSUMER DEBTOR(S)

The purpose of this notice is to acquaint you with the four chapters of the federal Bankruptcy Code under which you may file a bankruptcy petition. The bankruptcy law is complicated and not easily described. Therefore, you should seek the advice of an attorney to learn of your rights and responsibilities under the law should you decide to file a petition with the court. Court employees are prohibited from giving you legal advice.

### Chapter 7: Liquidation (\$130 filing fee plus \$30 administrative fee)

1. Chapter 7 is designed for debtors in financial difficulty who do not have the ability to pay their existing debts.
2. Under chapter 7 a trustee takes possession of all your property. You may claim certain of your property as exempt under governing law. The trustee then liquidates the property and uses the proceeds to pay your creditors according to priorities of the Bankruptcy Code.
3. The purpose of filing a chapter 7 case is to obtain a discharge of your existing debts. If, however, you are found to have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, your discharge may be denied by the court, and the purpose for which you filed the bankruptcy petition will be defeated.
4. Even if you receive a discharge, there are some debts that are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible for such debts as certain taxes and student loans, alimony and support payments, criminal restitution, and debts for death or personal injury caused by driving while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs.
5. Under certain circumstances you may keep property that you have purchased subject to valid security interest. Your attorney can explain the options that are available to you.

### Chapter 13: Repayment of All or Part of the Debts of an Individual with Regular Income (\$130 filing fee plus \$30 administrative fee)

1. Chapter 13 is designed for individuals with regular income who are temporarily unable to pay their debts but would like to pay them in installments over a period of time. You are only eligible for chapter 13 if your debts do not exceed certain dollar amounts set forth in the Bankruptcy Code.
2. Under chapter 13 you must file a plan with the court to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, using your future earnings. Usually, the period allowed by the court to repay your debts is three years, but no more than five years. Your plan must be approved by the court before it can take effect.
3. Under chapter 13, unlike chapter 7, you may keep all your property, both exempt and non-exempt, as long as you continue to make payments under the plan.
4. After completion of payments under your plan, your debts are discharged except alimony and support payments, student loans, certain debts including criminal fines and restitution and debts for death or personal injury caused by driving while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs, and long term secured obligations.

### Chapter 11: Reorganization (\$800 filing fee)

Chapter 11 is designed primarily for the reorganization of a business but is also available to consumer debtors. Its provisions are quite complicated, and any decision by an individual to file a chapter 11 petition should be reviewed with an attorney.

### Chapter 12: Family farmer (\$200 filing fee)

Chapter 12 is designed to permit family farmers to repay their debts over a period of time from future earnings and is in many ways similar to chapter 13. The eligibility requirements are restrictive, limiting its use to those whose income arises primarily from a family owned farm.

I, the debtor, affirm that I have read this notice.

9-27-04

Date

Melvin Jennings

Signature of Debtor

Case Number